DOCUMENT 00100

NOTICE INVITING BIDS

1. NOTICE. The City of Santa Clara, California, a chartered California municipal corporation, ("City") hereby gives notice that it will accept bids for construction of the following public work:

REMOVAL OF BARRIERS TO THE PHYSICALLY CHALLENGED FY2010-11 INVITATION NO. CE 10-11-09

- 2. BID SUBMISSION. City will receive sealed Bids no later than 3:00 p.m., as determined by the atomic clock above the help window of the City Clerk's Office, on **September 1, 2010**. City's representative will call out the designated time in the Office of the City Clerk, 1500 Warburton Avenue, Santa Clara, California, stating that the period for accepting Bids is closed. The Bid opening will be in accordance with procedures set forth in Document 00200 (Instructions to Bidders).
- 3. CONTACT INFORMATION. Bidders may obtain further information from:

Mailing address:

Engineering Department

City of Santa Clara 1500 Warburton Avenue Santa Clara, CA 95050

Project Engineer:

Ferdinand Pastrana

Email:

Fpastrana@santaclaraca.gov

Telephone:

(408) 615-3014

Fax:

(408) 985-7936

4. **DESCRIPTION OF WORK.** The Work shall consist of removing existing curb, gutter, and sidewalk, installing curb ramp with raised truncated domes, and reconstruction of curb, gutter, and sidewalk at various locations as shown on the Plans.

THIS PROJECT IS UTILIZING COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT (CDBG) FUNDS AND IS SUBJECT TO ALL FEDERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS INCLUDED IN DOCUMENT 00920 OF THESE CONTRACT DOCUMENTS.

BIDDERS ARE PUT ON NOTICE THAT ALL WORK MUST STRICTLY COMPLY WITH STATE OR FEDERAL ACCESSIBILITY REQUIREMENTS, WHICHEVER IS MORE STRINGENT.

- 5. CONTRACT TIME. From Notice to Proceed, Contractor shall have thirty (30) working days to Substantial Completion. See Document 01420 (References and Definitions) for definition of Substantial Completion. Contractor shall have forty (40) working days from Notice to Proceed to Final Completion.
- 6. REQUIRED CONTRACTOR'S LICENSE(S). A contractor's license is not required to bid this Contract; however, a California "A" contractor's license will be required prior to award of Contract by completing and submitting Document 00421, Declaration of Contractor's License Status, within 48 hours upon request by City. Joint ventures must secure a joint venture license prior to award of this Contract. Bidders shall also refer to paragraph 21, Award, of Document 00200, Instructions to Bidders, regarding contractor's license requirement.

- 7. PREVAILING WAGE LAWS. The successful Bidder must comply with all prevailing wage laws applicable to the Project, specifically federal Davis-Bacon prevailing wage requirements, and related requirements contained in the Contract Documents.
- 8. INSTRUCTIONS. Bidders shall refer to Document 00200, Instructions to Bidders, for required documents and items to be submitted in sealed envelopes for deposit into the Bid box, located at the City Clerk's office, and applicable times for submission.
- SUBSTITUTIONS OF SECURITIES. City will permit the successful Bidder to substitute 9. securities for retention monies withheld to ensure performance of Contract, as set forth in Document 00680, Escrow Agreement for Security Deposits in Lieu of Retention, in accordance with California Public Contract Code, Section 22300. By this reference, Document 00680, Escrow Agreement for Security Deposits in Lieu of Retention, is incorporated in full in this Document 00100, Notice Inviting Bids.
- 10. PRE-BID CONFERENCE AND SITE VISIT. No Pre-Bid Conference is scheduled for this project. Bidders are strongly encouraged to visit the sites prior to preparing their bids.
- 11. BIDDING DOCUMENTS. Bidders may examine Bidding Documents at the office of

City of Santa Clara, Engineering, 1500 Warburton Avenue, Santa Clara, CA 95050; Asian Inc., 1670 Pine Street, San Francisco, CA 94109; Builders Exchange of Alameda County, 3055 Alvarado Street, San Leandro, CA 94577; Builders Exchange of Santa Clara County, 400 Reed Street, Santa Clara, CA 95050: Contra Costa Builders Exchange, 2440 Stanwell Drive, Concord, CA 94520; Reed Construction Data, 30 Technology Parkway South, Suite 500, Norcross, GA 30092; McGraw-Hill Construction, 130 Doolittle Drive, Suite #1, San Leandro, CA 94577-1028; MECA, Inc., 1924 Franklin Street, Suite 315, Oakland, CA 94612; Peninsula Builders Exchange, 735 Industrial Way, San Carlos, CA 94070; Sacramento Builders Exchange, 1331 "T" Street, Sacramento, CA 95814; Sacramento Builders Exchange, 1 Sierragate, Ste. 120A, Roseville, CA 95678; San Francisco Builders Exchange, 850 South Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco, CA 94110; Santa Cruz County Builders Exchange, 1248 Thompson Ave., Santa Cruz, CA 95062: Shasta Builders Exchange, 2990 Innsbruck Drive, Redding, CA 96003: Stockton Builders Exchange, 7500 Northwest Lane, Stockton, CA 95210, and, Sub-hub (www.sub-hub.com), 5753 Pacheco Boulevard, Pacheco, CA 94553.

- PROCUREMENT OF BIDDING DOCUMENTS. Plans and Specifications may be purchased via 12. the Internet and at Prints Charles Reprographics for a non-refundable charge of approximately Forty-Three Dollars (\$43.00). Purchase plans and specifications through Plan Room at this web site: www.printscharlesrepro.com (PLAN VAULT Folder), or call Prints Charles Reprographics (a Division of C.T.I. Repro) at (408) 240-3330. Please make checks payable to Prints Charles Reprographics not the City of Santa Clara. Bidders requesting that Plans and Specifications be mailed/shipped to them will be charged the full costs of shipping. Plans, Specifications and Plan Holder lists may be viewed at the above web site. Addenda if any will be provided free of charge to all registered plan holders, and to all Builders Exchanges listed above.
- PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS. The successful bidder will be provided with three (3) 13. complete sets of Plans and Specifications, for construction use, after the award of Contract. The successful bidder will be responsible for all costs for additional sets for his firm and subcontractors, beyond those provided by City.

- 14. BID PREPARATION COST. Bidders are solely responsible for the cost of preparing their Bids.
- 15. RESERVATION OF RIGHTS. City specifically reserves the right, in its sole discretion, to reject any or all Bids, or re-bid, or to waive inconsequential deviations from Bid requirements not involving time, price, or quality of the Work.
- **16. INQUIRIES.** Bidders may obtain further information by contacting the Project Engineer, Ferdinand Pastrana, at (408) 615-3014, or Fpastrana@santaclaraca.gov.

By order of the City Council of the City of Santa Clara, California.

Date: 8/5/10

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